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DESPREADER FOR SPREAD SPECTRUM
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Dear Sir:

Upon reviewing the above-identified patent, Patentee noted several Patent office errors which should be corrected.

The following errors were not in the application as filed by applicant:

In the Application:

Column 1, Line 19 (Approx.), Delete "SEAR" and insert -- SEARCH --.

Column 16, Line 52 (Approx.), Delete "ΣE" and insert - - Σ - -.

Column 23, Line 49 (Approx.) In Claim 46, delete "of;" and insert -- of: --.

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Enclosed please find marked up copies of page 1 of the specification, page 22 of the specification and page 10 of the claims.

The following errors were found in the application as filed by applicant. The errors now sought to be corrected are inadvertent typographical errors, the correction of which does not involve new matter or require reexamination.

Column 11, Line 58 (Approx.) Delete "N((a))" and insert - - N(a) - -.

Column 19, Line 55 (Approx.) In Claim 5, delete "(1-code)" and insert - - (I-code) - -.

Column 23, Line 50 (Approx.) In Claim 46, delete "(1-code)" and insert - - (I-code) --.

Transmitted herewith is a proposed Certificate of Correction effecting such amendment. Patentee respectfully solicits the granting of the requested Certificate of Correction.

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5 CROSS-REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLICATIONS

This application claims priority to the provisional patent application with the following Serial Number: 60/173,634, filed on December 30, 1999.

Related applications, which are incorporated herein by reference, are:

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A CONFIGURABLE ALL-DIGITAL COHERENT DEMODULATOR SYSTEM FOR
SPREAD SPECTRUM APPLICATIONS

Serial No. To Be Assigned, Attorney Docket No. 9824-0037-999

15 APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR CALCULATING AND IMPLEMENTING A
FIBONACCI MASK FOR A CODE GENERATOR

Serial No. To Be Assigned, Attorney Docket No. 9824-0032-999

A FAST INITIAL ACQUISITION & SEARCH DEVICE FOR A SPREAD SPECTRUM
20 COMMUNICATION SYSTEM

Serial No. To Be Assigned, Attorney Docket No. 9824-0033-999

A CONFIGURABLE CODE GENERATOR SYSTEM FOR SPREAD SPECTRUM
APPLICATIONS

25 Serial No. To Be Assigned, Attorney Docket No. 9824-029-999

METHOD AND APPARATUS TO SUPPORT MULTI STANDARD, MULTI SERVICE
BASE-STATIONS FOR WIRELESS VOICE AND DATA NETWORKS

Serial No. To Be Assigned, Attorney Docket No. 9824-0035-999

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IMPROVED APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR MULTI-THREADED SIGNAL
PROCESSING

Serial No. 09/492,634, filed on January 27, 2000

35 Except for application Serial No. 09/492,634, all of the above applications are filed
simultaneously herewith.

observation length A value in one embodiment. That is, enable input B 114b occurs after observation length A value 114a has enabled accumulate and dump circuits 261 and 262 to communicate real and imaginary dumped samples 5112a and 5112b to interface 258 in Figure 2B. Thus, the present invention can adaptively update observation lengths for

5 despreading dynamically with minimal lag in one embodiment. The dumped output from step 5118 is represented mathematically as:

$$\Sigma[(\text{Dumped Real sample} + \text{Dumped Imaginary sample})] \quad [3]$$

In equation [3], observation A was from accumulate and dump circuit 261 and observation

10 B is from accumulate and dump circuit 262. Following step 5118, flowchart 5100 ends.

The groupings, or accumulation, of data from steps 5102 to 5118 and as implemented in multiplier circuits 271-274, accumulate and dump circuits 261-264, and interface circuits 258-259, can be classified in a hierarchical order. This hierarchical order

15 can include any span of the following groupings. First, multiple individual chips can be grouped to form a symbol, and multiple symbols can be grouped to form a data field, and multiple data fields can be grouped to form a slot, and multiple slots can be grouped to form a frame. For example, N chips can equal M symbols which can equal L fields, where $N > M > L$, in one embodiment.

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Table 1 provides an exemplary implementation where a received data sample and a received code sample (C) are repeated for two iterations for every observation (Obs.). Table 1 also indicates how a first accumulate operation occurs for length A of two observations; and how a second accumulate operation occurs for length B of two accumulate A results. In

25 contrast, Table 2 provides a different example of accumulation operations. The present invention is well suited to a wide range of such hierarchical and configurable length accumulate operations.

Table 1. Hierarchy of accumulation operations

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Accumulate B							
Accumulate A				Accumulate A			
Obs		Obs		Obs		Obs	
C	C	C	C	C	C	C	C

35 Table 2. Alternative hierarchy of accumulation operations

Accumulate B'							
Accumulate A'				Accumulate A'			

Claim 43 (Original): The method recited in Claim 41 further comprising the steps of:

- m) receiving an in-phase code chip (I-code) at an additional multiplier;
- n) receiving the in-phase data sample (I-sample) at the additional multiplier; and
- o) multiplying the I-code with the I-sample, via the additional multiplier, to produce an additional observation.

Claim 44 (Original): The method recited in Claim 43 further comprising the steps of:

- p) repeating in parallel, steps i) through k) for the additional observation at an additional accumulate and dump circuit to dump an additional accumulated sample.

Claim 45 (Original): The method recited in Claim 44 further comprising the steps of:

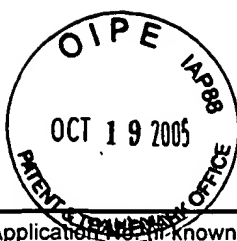
- q) receiving the accumulated sample from the accumulate and dump circuit at an interface circuit;
- r) receiving the additional accumulated sample from the additional accumulate and dump circuit at the interface circuit;
- s) receiving a second control signal at the interface circuit that enables the accumulated sample and the additional accumulated sample to be transmitted as a symbol; and
- t) repeating steps q) through s) for a new symbol.

Claim 46 (Original): The method recited in Claim 45 further comprising the steps of:

- u) repeating in parallel steps a) through w) on a parallel set of components wherein step g) receives the in-phase code chip (I-code) at the multiplier, wherein step m) receives the quadrature-phase code chip (Q-code) at the additional multiplier, and wherein step n) receives the quadrature-phase data sample (Q-sample) at the additional multiplier.

Claim 47 (Presently Amended): A method of configurably despread a spread spectrum signal, the method comprising:

- a) receiving a first observation from a first multiplier at a despread;
- b) accumulating the first observation at a first accumulate and dump circuit;



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